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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re the Application of

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For: STATOR OR ROTARY ELECTRIC MACHINE AND METHOD FOR MAKING THE SAME

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In reply to the October 18, 2002, Office Action, and the personal interview conducted on January 16, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

✓Please cancel claims 2, 3 and 9-19 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

Please replace claims 1, 4 and 5 as follows:

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1. (Amended) A stator of a rotary electric machine, comprising:
a stator core having a plurality of slots;
a poly-phase winding disposed in the slots comprising a plurality of sub-winding sets, each sub-winding set comprising a plurality of phase windings including a plurality of straight portions disposed in the slots and a plurality of turn portions connecting the straight portions, the phase windings being made of a continuous wire providing an individual coil on the stator core; and

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